

Proof of thm 59.1:

Let  $g : I \rightarrow X$  be a loop in  $X = U \cup V$ .

Since  $U$  and  $V$  are open,  $I \subset g^{-1}(U) \cup g^{-1}(V)$ .

By the Lebesgue number lemma,  $\exists \delta > 0$  such that if  $A \subset X$  with  $\text{diam}(A) < \delta$ , then  $A \subset g^{-1}(U)$  or  $A \subset g^{-1}(V)$ .

Thus if  $I = \cup [a_i, a_{i+1}]$  where  $\text{diam}([a_i, a_{i+1}]) < \delta$ ,  
then  $[a_i, a_{i+1}] \subset g^{-1}(U)$  or  $[a_i, a_{i+1}] \subset g^{-1}(V)$ .

Thus

$g([a_i, a_{i+1}]) \subset g(g^{-1}(U)) \subset U$  or  $g([a_i, a_{i+1}]) \subset g(g^{-1}(V)) \subset V$ .

If there exists  $a_k$  such that  $g(a_k) \notin U \cap V$ ,  
replace the intervals  $[a_{k-1}, a_k]$  and  $[a_k, a_{k+1}]$  with  $[a_{k-1}, a_{k+1}]$ .

If  $g(a_k) \in U$ , then  $g(a_k) \notin V$ . Hence  
 $g([a_{k-1}, a_k]) \subset U$  &  $g([a_k, a_{k+1}]) \subset U$ . Thus  $g([a_{k-1}, a_{k+1}]) \subset U$ .

Similary,  $g(a_k) \in V$  implies  $g([a_{k-1}, a_{k+1}]) \subset V$ .

Thus we can write  $I = \cup [c_i, c_{i+1}]$  where

$c_i \in U \cap V \forall i$  and  $g([c_i, c_{i+1}]) \subset U$  or  $g([c_i, c_{i+1}]) \subset V$

Since  $U \cap V$  is path connected,  $\exists$  a path  $\alpha_i$  between  $x_0$  and  $c_i$ .

Thus  $g = (\alpha_0 * g_1 * \overline{\alpha_1})(\alpha_1 * g_2 * \overline{\alpha_2}) \cdots (\alpha_{n-1} * g_n * \overline{\alpha_n})$

where for each  $i$ ,  $(\alpha_{i-1} * g_i * \overline{\alpha_i})$  is in  $\pi_1(U)$  or in  $\pi_1(V)$ .

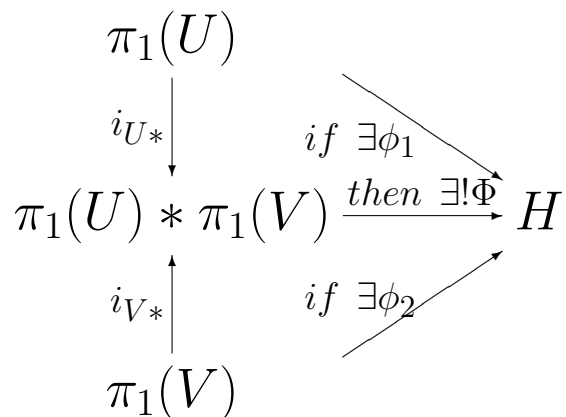
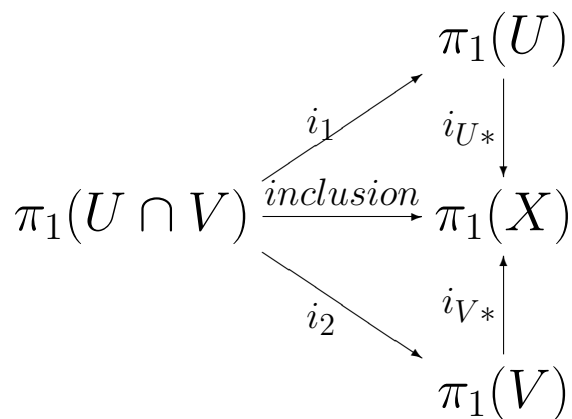
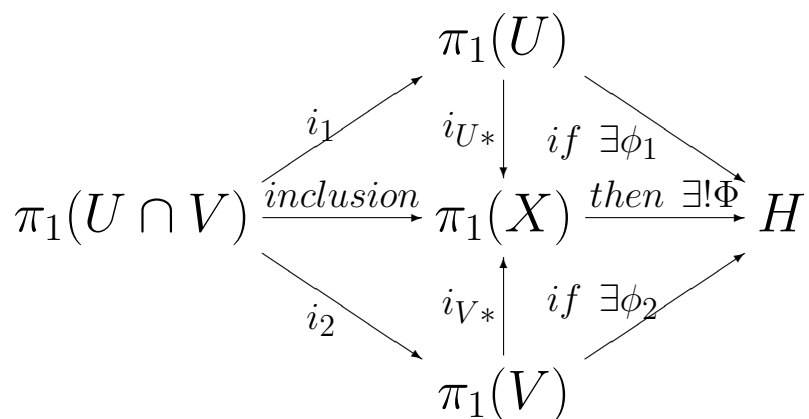
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Thm 70.1:  $U, V, U \cap V$  open and path-connected.



$$\pi_1(X) = \pi_1(U) * \pi_1(V) / \ker(j)$$

If  $\Phi$  exists, then  $\Phi$  is unique.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \pi_1(U) & & \\
 \downarrow i_{U*} & \searrow \text{if } \exists \phi_1 & \\
 \pi_1(U) * \pi_1(V) / \ker(j) & \xrightarrow{\text{then } \exists! \Phi} & H \\
 \uparrow i_{V*} & \nearrow \text{if } \exists \phi_2 & \\
 \pi_1(V) & & 
 \end{array}$$

Let  $N =$  least normal subgroup generated by

$$\{i_1(c_1)^{-1}i_2(c_1), \dots, i_1(c_n)^{-1}i_2(c_n)\}$$

I.e.,  $N$  is generated by  $\{gd_1g^{-1}, \dots, gd_n g^{-1} \mid g \in G\}$   
 where  $d_k = i_1(c_k)^{-1}i_2(c_k)$

and where the  $c_i$ 's are the generators of  $\pi(U \cap V)$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & \pi_1(U) & & \\
 & \nearrow i_1 & \downarrow i_{U*} & \searrow \text{if } \exists \phi_1 & \\
 \pi_1(U \cap V) & \xrightarrow{\text{inclusion}} & \pi_1(U) * \pi_1(V) / N & \xrightarrow{\text{then } \exists! \Phi} & H \\
 & \searrow i_2 & \uparrow i_{V*} & \nearrow \text{if } \exists \phi_2 & \\
 & & \pi_1(V) & & 
 \end{array}$$

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 \pi_1(U \cap V) & \xrightarrow{\text{inclusion}} & \pi_1(X) & \xrightarrow{\text{then } \exists! \Phi} & \pi_1(U) * \pi_1(V) / N \\
 & \searrow i_2 & \uparrow i_{V*} & \nearrow i f \exists \phi_2 & \\
 & & \pi_1(V) & & 
 \end{array}$$

$j : \pi_1(U) * \pi_1(V) \rightarrow \pi_1(X)$  induced by the two inclusion maps is surjective.

$$\text{I.e., } \pi_1(X) = \pi_1(U) * \pi_1(V) / \ker(j)$$

Claim:  $N \subset \ker(j)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 j(i_1(c_k)^{-1}i_2(c_k)) &= [j(i_1(c_k))]^{-1} * j(i_2(c_k)) = [i_{U \cap V}(c_k)]^{-1} i_{U \cap V}(c_k) \\
 &= e
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $j$  induces a map

$$k : \pi_1(U) * \pi_1(V) / N \twoheadrightarrow \pi_1(U) * \pi_1(V) / \ker(j) = \pi_1(X)$$

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By taking  $\phi_i$  to be inclusion maps in Thm 70.1,  $\exists \Phi = k^{-1}$ .



Proof continued from chalkboard:

$$h_2 \sim y_1^{-1} z_2 y_2$$

$$\phi_{i_2}(\alpha_1 h_2 \alpha_2^{-1}) = \phi_{i_2}(\alpha_1 y_1^{-1} z_2 y_2 \alpha_2^{-1})$$

$$= \phi_{i_2}(\alpha_1 y_1^{-1} \gamma_1^{-1} \cdot \gamma_1 z_2 \gamma_2^{-1} \cdot \gamma_2 y_2 \alpha_2^{-1})$$

$$= \phi_{i_2}(\alpha_1 y_1^{-1} \gamma_1^{-1}) \phi_{i_2}(\gamma_1 z_2 \gamma_2^{-1}) \phi_{i_2}(\gamma_2 y_2 \alpha_2^{-1})$$

$$\text{Thus } \Phi(h_1 \cdots h_m) = \Phi(z_1 y_1 h_2 \cdots h_m) = \Phi(z_1 y_1 y_1^{-1} z_2 y_2 \cdots h_m)$$

$$y_1 y_1^{-1} \rightarrow \phi_{i_1}(\gamma_1 y_1 \alpha_1^{-1}) \phi_{i_2}(\alpha_1 y_1^{-1} \gamma_1^{-1})$$

If  $i_1 = i_2$ , then

$$\phi_{i_1}(\gamma_1 y_1 \alpha_1^{-1}) \phi_{i_2}(\alpha_1 y_1^{-1} \gamma_1^{-1}) = \phi_{i_1}(\gamma_1 y_1 \alpha_1^{-1}) \phi_{i_1}(\alpha_1 y_1^{-1} \gamma_1^{-1})$$

$$= \phi_{i_1}(\gamma_1 y_1 \alpha_1^{-1} \cdot \alpha_1 y_1^{-1} \gamma_1^{-1}) = \phi_{i_1}(e) = e$$

If  $i_1 \neq i_2$ , then  $y \subset U \cap V$ . Thus  $\alpha_1, \gamma_1 \subset U \cap V$ .

$$\text{Thus } d = \gamma_1 y_1 \alpha_1^{-1} \in \pi_1(U \cap V).$$

$$\phi_{i_1}(\gamma_1 y_1 \alpha_1^{-1}) \phi_{i_2}(\alpha_1 y_1^{-1} \gamma_1^{-1}) = \phi_{i_1}(d) \phi_{i_2}(d)^{-1} = e$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus } \Phi(h_1 \cdots h_m) &= \Phi(z_1 y_1 h_2 \cdots h_m) = \Phi(z_1 z_2 y_2 \cdots h_m) \\ &= \cdots = \Phi(f_1 \cdots f_m) \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $g \sim f$  in  $U \cup V$  implies  $\Phi(g) = \Phi(f)$